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### House Appropriations Request FY 2010

**Project Name:** Town of Cary's Police Dept. Technology Upgrades  
**Recipient:** Cary Police Department  
**Recipient Address:** 120 Wilkinson Avenue

**Recipient City:** Cary  
**Recipient State:** North Carolina  
**Recipient Zip:** 27513

**Amount of Request:** 300,000

**Explanation of the request (must include purpose and why it is a valuable use of taxpayer funds):** The Cary Police Department currently lacks modern technology, which restricts law enforcement's ability to protect the public. The Town of Cary has adopted a two prong approach to improve the police department's technology infrastructure: purchase additional mobile video camera systems and to establish a reliable cell phone tracking system.

The Town of Cary is working to equip all police department enforcement vehicles with mobile video camera systems. The camera system digitally records the actions of motorists which is helpful in gathering evidence that can be used in court. Video systems provide powerful evidence by documenting all traffic related encounters with the public. Most often the evidence provided by these cameras is used to convict impaired drivers.

*In order to offer more opportunity for public scrutiny, I have posted information on each project request submitted to the Appropriations Committee at the time the request was made.*

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